

WASHINGTON, D. C., SUNDAY, JULY 28, 1907.

## All low-price records smashed As the result of a Receiver's sale of linen and silk Parasols and umbrellas.

From the receiver of the S. S. Fretz Manufacturing Company, Philadelphia, we purchased nearly 3,000 pieces—Parasols and Umbrellas—at prices which permit this sale at lower prices than have ever been quoted, even in our most attractive sales. The variety in each lot is extraordinary. The actual regular selling prices of these goods are just what is stated in connection with each lot.

The average for the sale is much below half regular price.

Special attention is called to the lot of Umbrellas for men. Never have so many Umbrellas of dependable character for men's use been offered under price in one sale in this city. Here are details on three of the six lots:

### 500 all-silk coaching parasols, values \$3 to \$6, at \$1.79 each.

Never before such a value under \$2.00. These silks are of best grades taffetas and moire antique silks. Some of unusual beauty are of pongees, with brown band insert; hemstitched. Among the other novelty effects are:

- Plain pongees, with colored taffeta insertings.
- Plain taffeta, with hemstitched borders.
- Plain taffeta, with embroidered figures.
- Plain white taffeta, with fancy Persian ribbon borders.
- Plain reseda green moire antique silk, hemstitched.
- A great variety of stylish browns.
- A few black chiffon-trimmed parasols.
- Plain black with embroidered designs.

The range of colors includes reds, pinks, tans, white, light blue, brown, green, and navy.

Three-fourths of this lot are worth more than double the sale price and up to \$6.00 each.

### 500 parasols in lineine, linen, and silk, values \$1.50 to \$2.50, at 95c.

All of them in coaching styles, most of them with plain rice sticks. The lineine and lineine include the following much-desired effects:

- White, with embroidered edges.
- White, with embroidered insertion.
- White, with tucked borders.
- White, with plain hemstitched borders.
- White, with hemstitched tucked borders.
- White, with hemstitched tucked borders.

These of silk are in light blue, pink, pongee, and white. The silks are fine taffetas and best Japanese silks; some with ribbon borders; some with ribbon hand inserts; some with Dresden centers, and some plain hemstitched. Positively one of the finest lots of Parasols ever offered for sale in this city, regardless of price. A wonderful bargain at the sale price—95c—in the majority of cases this being less than half usual value.

### 400 all-silk umbrellas, for men and women, at \$1.98.

All guaranteed. Values, \$3, \$4, and \$5.

These are of high-class silks. They are all silk both taffeta and serge silks being used. They are the close-rolling kind. Nearly all have silk cases to match.

Among the Women's Umbrellas are colored Umbrellas in greens, blues, reds, and browns.

The handles are mostly plain natural sticks, some with sterling silver trimmings.

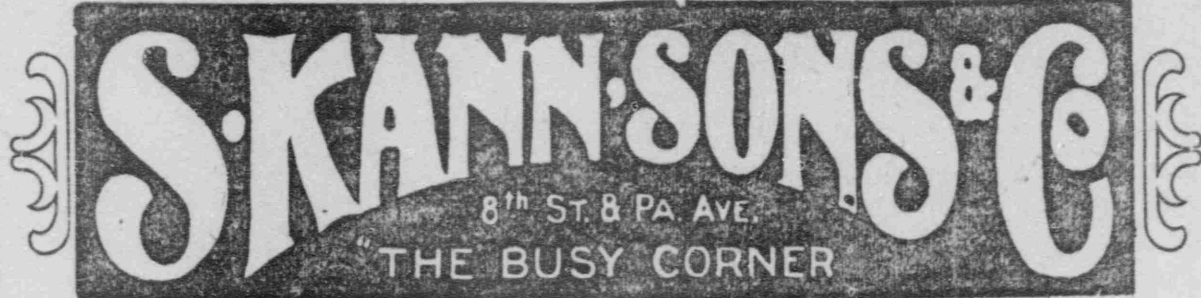
Every Umbrella is guaranteed perfect, and the wear of every one will be guaranteed, regardless of the much-less-than-worth price you pay. Choice, \$1.98.

## A special sale of beautiful Princess and jumper dresses That are worth \$25 and \$30, at \$16.75 each.

Not one ever shown before. All new, fresh goods, made up for one of the most exclusive New York houses that canceled the order on account of delay in delivery. We bought them at half price, and give you now the best Princess and Jumper dress bargains of the year.

Made of fine taffeta and foulard silks.

They come in all the desirable shades of blue and brown, also black. The styles represent the very latest advance ideas and will appeal to careful dressers and those who want something a little different. The offering of Princess modes such as these is decidedly out of the ordinary.



## Extra good undermuslins

### Gowns, corset covers, skirts, drawers

Priced as low as consistent with GOOD qualities, and when the price of cotton is so high this fact bears double weight. So-called "cheap" garments are just what the expression denotes—cheap in every way, poor materials, scantily made. Examine these qualities before purchasing elsewhere.

#### Gowns at \$1.00.

These are made of good quality nainsook and cambrie, in ten different styles, with round necks or square. Some are trimmed with fine lace or embroidery, some have yokes of fine embroidery and tucking; others are finished with embroidery inserting and ribbon drawn through, beading finish; elbow sleeves.

#### Gowns at 75c.

Nainsook and cambrie, with round and "V" necks; trimmed in fine embroidery and finished at neck and sleeves with lawn ruffle; hemstitched; some have embroidery and ribbon run through; elbow sleeves.

#### Gowns at \$1.25.

Made of fine nainsook, trimmed with Val. lace and embroidery inserting; others are finished with fine embroidery edge and ribbon run through; elbow sleeves; four different styles.

#### Corset covers at 50c.

Nainsook, made in a variety of styles; Val. lace and tuck, lace trimmed; some with embroidery and ribbon drawn through; finished with beading.

#### Corset covers at 39c.

These are also of nainsook, made in a variety of styles; trimmings of fine lace or embroidery, ribbons drawn through, and beading finish.

#### Corset covers at \$1.00.

Ten different styles, fine cambrie, and trimmed with 2 and 3 rows of fine Val. lace and embroidery; finished with beading and ribbon drawn through; some are in a fine tailored style, with fine tucks; trimming of ribbon, and dainty edge of fine embroidery.

#### Drawers at 50c.

Of fine cambrie, in a variety of styles; open and closed; trimmed with cotton tuck or fine Val. lace and inserting, or tucks and hemstitching.

#### JAPANESE HAND-DRAWN LINEN TOP COLLARS, 11c

25c quality at . . . . .

You will find these on the center aisle bargain tables Monday. Just got them in from an importer, and by taking a big supply got them at a price which will allow us to offer them at 11c each to-morrow.

Real hand-drawn linen, the work of the clever Japanese, and made with hemstitched hem and sides. These are exceedingly neat appearing, and are very stylish and nobby with linen shirt waists. Worth 25c each, but our price to-morrow only . . . . . 11c

Center Aisle Bargain Tables.



## Our mail-order reserve stock of 50c printed Tokio silk at 25c yd.

This is the very last chance at this wonderful bargain. Long ago every yard of our stock not reserved for mail orders was sold. Now every yard of the mail order reserve goes.

This is that famous 3/4 Jap silk and 1/4 cotton washable material of which many thousand yards were sold in a few weeks.

Nothing better in dainty washable goods has ever been made, and the initial offering created a seven days' sensation. None can help but appreciate the merits of the fabric—the unusual opportunity. We have a fair assortment of light and dark grounds in foulard and floral patterns. Every one of these styles will launder perfectly.

### BIG LOT of high-class Printed Lawns and Printed Baisties in a large variety of handsome patterns, both white and colored grounds, suitable for almost any use for these fabrics. The regular selling price of these qualities is 12 1/2c a yard. MONDAY ONLY, a yard. . . . . 7 1/2c

### HERE'S A WONDER! Lot of regular 25c White Ground Jacquard Figured and Printed Madras, in styles designed for men's shirts, women's waists and dresses, and children's garments. Positively fast in color. Designs in plaids, checks, dots, and figures. An extraordinary clearing sale offering at, yard. . . . . 15c

## Odds and ends of wash goods, 10c

Some heretofore selling up to 50c yd.

A great assortment of weaves and styles and colorings, the collection comprising all the odd pieces of these lines, and ranging from a waist length up to half pieces. More than half of the lot have sold regularly at more than double the clearing sale price.

## Our linon suiting at 15c yard

Is the best value in Washington this season.

Goods of this class are more than scarce. There are dozens of kinds of so-called "Lion Suitsings," but there is only one genuine "original," and that is the one we sell at 15c.

Looks like real linen. Washes like real linen.

In fact, it will answer every purpose of a pure Irish linen suiting that costs several times the price. Special attention is called to the beeted finish. This is a desirable finish and is found almost exclusively in high-class linens. This finish is permanent—it will not disappear with laundering.

This Linon Suing is fully shrunk and hence safe to use in making suits designed to be washed in hot water.

We shall have on sale to-morrow—

Champagne, light blue, light pink, Alice blue, tan, leather.

These shades are the most called-for to-day and the ones women want for nobby Prince Chap suits, and the jumper and suspender suits. This suiting will make the most effective sort of separate coats, and you need not fear to put them in the tub. We are selling lots of it for children's blouse suits. For this purpose it is a good all-the-year material.

## 40-in. India linon, 18c grade at yd. 12 1/2c, 25c grade at yd. 15c

These two grades at these prices are among the very remarkable values of this season. The qualities are standard. The texture is of unusual fineness. The many uses to which this material is put makes the opportunity of more than common interest.

### Other white goods.

Forty pieces of good quality Pin-Do Swisses, such as we usually get at 12c a yard, to-morrow at, yd. . . . . 12 1/2c

Small quality of 45-inch fine sheer French Lawn to go at a very low price—while this lot lasts, yd. . . . . 14c

A number of very handsome styles in Scotch Figured Lawn of the usual 20c yd. quality in the sale to-morrow at, yd. . . . . 17c

33-inch-wide Persian Lawn, fine and sheer, and a 15c a yard grade at the extraordinary price of, yd. . . . . 10c

35-inch Linen-finished Percale, in the usual 20c yard quality, at a rare value at to-morrow's sale price, yd. . . . . 12 1/2c

English Longcloth, in 12-yard pieces only, nice quality, chambray finish, special per piece to-morrow. . . . . \$1.19

## OPEN BIDS FOR NAVY WORK

J. S. Reynolds Lowest Bidder to Repair Medical School.

Proposals Submitted Include Those for Dock at Puget Sound and Improvement at Boston.

Bids were opened at the Navy Department yesterday for repairs to the Naval Medical School building in this city, as follows:

Columbia Engineering Co., Washington, \$3,096; J. S. Reynolds, Washington, \$3,478; W. H. Childs, Washington, \$3,925, or \$500 additional under certain conditions; Brennan Construction Co., Washington, \$5,231; and R. E. Boisseau, Washington, \$5,400.

Bids were also opened for the construction of the big concrete and granite dock which was authorized for the navy yard at Puget Sound, Wash., by the last Congress. All the bidders were from the Pacific Coast except one, and only two of the bids submitted fall within the \$1,250,000 which Congress appropriated for the work.

The five bids submitted for the complete work are as follows: Independent Asphalt Co., Seattle, \$1,240,000; William Norton Concanon, San Francisco, \$1,730,882; the International Contract Co., Seattle, \$1,594,140; F. McLean & Co., Seattle, \$1,322,845; the Scott & Co., Philadelphia, \$1,922,000.

In addition to bidding for the complete job, the specifications allowed the bidders to submit proposals for the construction of the dry dock according to variations from the specifications. All but the International Contract Company, of Seattle, submitted alternate bids under this provision.

Bids were opened also for improvements to building No. 107 at the Boston Navy Yard, the P. B. Elkins Company, of Boston, being the lowest bidder, at \$5,138, or \$3,548 under certain variations.

## FUNERAL OF MRS. E. L. LOMAX.

Services to be held in Church of Incarnation.

Funeral services will be held at 4 o'clock this afternoon in the Church of the Incarnation over the body of Mrs. Ellen L. Lomax, widow of J. L. Lomax, who died Friday in her home, 831 M street. Rev. W. T. Snyder will officiate. Interment will be in Glenwood Cemetery.

Mrs. Lomax was fifty-eight years old and was born in Charles County, Md. She was prominently identified with church work and the Church of the Incarnation and was president of the Daughters of the King.

## NEW RULES FOR ATTORNEYS

Postmaster General Meyer Promulgates Regulations.

Prescribes Conditions Under Which Lawyers May Practice Before His Department in Future.

Regulations providing under what conditions attorneys may practice before the Post-office Department have been promulgated by direction of Postmaster General Meyer. Heretofore, it is said, there has been no code of practice for the attorneys, as is the case in many departments. The regulations provide that to practice before the department, attorneys must be members of the bar of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, or of the State or Territory to which they respectively belong, and that their private and professional character shall appear to be fair.

Attorneys will be required to take the oath of allegiance to demean themselves as attorneys before the department uprightly and according to law. Applicants for admission to practice must make written application to the Postmaster General, stating his professional and private standing, and whether or not he has ever held office under the government. No attorney who has been disbarred from any case in which he was connected with the department shall be placed on the list until the disbarment shall have been revoked.

No person who has been an officer, clerk, or employee in the Post-office Department will be recognized as attorney in any case in which he was connected with the department, and no attorney who has been appointed or retained by the department will be recognized as an attorney before the department until two years after he shall have ceased to act under such appointment or retention. Finally, no person coming under the provisions of section 549 of the revised statutes, which prohibits all persons from practicing before the departments, will be permitted to practice before the Post-office Department.

## ANALYZING SODA "BRACERS."

Agricultural Department Wants to Know Ingredients of Tonics.

Chemists of the Department of Agriculture, under direction of the pure food board, are investigating the compositions of "bracers" that are sold at soda water fountains.

Samples of the stuff that "invigorates the mind," "braces the nerves," and does other things, have been gathered for analysis.

## SUNDAY MORNING CHAT.

This year completes 100 years of Protestant missionary effort in China. Robert Morrison having been sent by the British Missionary Society as first Protestant missionary to Canton, in 1807. Owing to the opposition of the East India Company to missionary work in China, he found it very difficult to secure passage on any one of their ships. He came to New York, and although there was not much enthusiasm over foreign missions in the United States at that period, he found friends. James Madison, then Secretary of State, gave him a letter of introduction to the American consul at Canton, and on an American ship this brave pioneer missionary at last reached China. It is related that before he sailed a skeptical shipowner said sarcastically:

"And so, Mr. Morrison, you really expect you will make an impression on the idolatry of the great Chinese empire?"

"No, sir," came the reply; "I expect God will."

The Morrison centenary is bringing out many entertaining reminiscences and stories relating to missions. Of special interest is this: Robert Morrison's earnestness and zeal for the cause in which he had enlisted impressed people wherever he went. In the home where he was a guest while in New York was a tiny girl who listened with all a child's eagerness as he talked of what he hoped, to accomplish. The enthusiasm kindled in her mind grew with the years, until when she reached womanhood it became her life work to help the missionary cause. A half century afterward, when she was widely known as Mrs. Doremus, she organized the Woman's Union Missionary Society, the first missionary band of women in the United States, and mother of the multitude of societies since formed.

From Dr. Frederick D. Power, pastor of the Vermont Avenue Christian Church, I learn that Dr. James T. Barclay, the first foreign missionary sent out by that denomination, went from the Christian Church of this city. Dr. Barclay's home was near the navy yard, and it was here in 1844 that what is now the Vermont Avenue Church was organized, and he served as its first pastor. He sailed for Jerusalem early in 1851, the first mission of the church being an attempt to restore the ancient order in the very city where the gospel was originally proclaimed to the world by the apostles. For three years and a half he labored in this "old," and gathered a small band of disciples about him. In 1857 he published his celebrated volume, "The City of the Great King," which is still among scholars an authority on Jerusalem and the Holy Land.

Rev. S. Reese Murray, pastor of Union Methodist Episcopal Church, is one of the scholarly preachers of the city, and has the gift of telling a good story entertainingly. The following is one I heard from him recently about Rev. Dr. Thomas H. Lewis, the distinguished president of

manently, October 1, for New Orleans, La., having accepted a call to one of the churches in that city.

Rev. Samuel M. Alford, pastor of Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, will, with his family, spend the month of August at Emory Grove, Md., where he will assist at the camp meeting which is held there annually. For the past ten years his summer vacations have been spent at the Grove, and in the tent life and freedom from conventionalities he finds the needed change and rest from the work of the year.

## MISSION FOR GLEN ECHO.

Services Will Be Held in Amusement Park To-day.

The Homeward Bound Mission, with headquarters at 19 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, is branching out, and this afternoon will hold services in the amphitheater at Glen Echo Park.

Mr. L. D. Shaw, the manager of Glen Echo Park, has donated the use of the amphitheater for the leaders of the mission and those of the thousands of patrons of the park who may be inclined to-day to listen to a religious discourse while roaming about the picturesque park.

Two meetings will be held at 3 and 8 p. m., respectively. It is expected that Mrs. Commander J. H. Haslam, the widow of the founder of the mission, will lead the meeting in the afternoon, while Capt. Theodore Valiant will direct the evening assemblage.

## WARD BURLINGAME RESIGNS.

Chief Clerk of Dead Letter Division to Retire.

Ward Burlingame, chief clerk of the division of dead letters, Post-office Department, has tendered his resignation to the Postmaster General, to take effect upon the expiration of his leave, which begins August 1. Mr. Burlingame resigns of his own volition, and intends spending the remainder of his days at his home in Kansas.

For twenty-seven years Mr. Burlingame has been employed in the Post-office Department and has held the position, which he now resigns, for more than ten years. Previous to entering the service of the government he was a prominent figure in Kansas politics as an editor and respondent of various newspapers. He served as secretary to four governors of Kansas, and also as secretary to three Kansas Senators.

## DO NOT EXPECT EXECUTIONS

State Department Officials Look for Cabrera to Pardon.

Believed He Intends to Show Magnanimity Toward Those Convicted of Plotting His End.

The announcement from Guatemala that the Supreme Court of that state has confirmed the death sentences passed upon all the prisoners detained as accomplices in the recent attempt upon the life of President Cabrera, was anticipated at the State Department. It is not believed, however, that the sentences will be put into execution.

The information that has reached this government is to the effect that it was the intention of the Guatemalan government to push the cases to a final hearing in order that all technicalities might be observed, but from five or six different sources the State Department has been advised that it was the intention of President Cabrera, in order to show his clemency to the world, to pardon the men after all the legal forms had been completed with.

## FUMIGATE INSULAR BUREAU.

Outbreak of Tuberculosis Results in Unprecedented Action.

Because of the appearance of four cases of tuberculosis within a comparatively short period among the employees of the Bureau of Insular Affairs, the rooms of that bureau in the War Department, second floor, north wing, are being fumigated under the direction of Gen. Clarence R. Edwards, the chief.

It is believed to be the first time that such action has ever been taken in any of the modern office buildings of the government in this city.

## Doctors Volunteer Services.

The following physicians have volunteered to serve without compensation at "Camp Good Will": Dr. Jesse Rumsburg, Dr. J. M. Heller, Dr. Harry Hurt, Dr. B. B. Heinecke, Dr. G. H. Camp, Dr. Henry Tobias, Dr. J. D. Rogers, Dr. A. J. Hall, Dr. Dwight Gordon Smith, Dr. J. J. Kaveny, and Dr. Adam Kemble. The doctors, in turn, visit the camp each

## POLICE JUDGES ASK INCREASE

Repeat Their Demand for Additional \$1,000 Each in Salary.

More Pay for Other Officials and Additional Employees Wanted, Adding \$15,915 to Appropriation.

Judges I. G. Kimball and A. R. Mulloy renew their request for an increase of \$1,000 in their salaries, which are now \$3,600 each, as judges, in their estimates of appropriations for the Police Court for the fiscal year beginning June 30, 1908, which were yesterday submitted to the Commissioners for transmission to Congress.

A total appropriation of \$56,065 is asked for, which is \$15,915 more than appropriated for the present fiscal year. Of this amount, \$31,990 is to be applied to salaries and the remainder to miscellaneous expenses. An increase in the salaries of the judges was included in the estimates of the Police Court for the current fiscal year, but was not favorably acted upon by Congress.

No increase is asked in the salaries of J. Y. Potts, clerk of the court, who now receives \$2,000, or N. C. Harper and J. B. Peyton, deputy clerks, at \$1,500 each. On the ground that he is a bonded official, and that his pay is inadequate when his many responsibilities and the importance of his work is considered, an increase of \$300 is asked for the salary of F. A. Sebring, deputy clerk, who is to be known as financial clerk.

An increase of \$300 each is requested in the salaries of Bailiffs H. C. Hopkins, Richard Hughes, Elijah Leizer, and Clarence S. Forsyth, in order that they may be placed on the same footing with Bailiffs S. B. Kendig, C. J. Switzer, and W. D. West at \$500 each, their duties being identical.

## FRAUD ORDER FOR FRUIT MEN.

Growers' Association Is Denied Use of the Mails.

A fraud order has been issued by the Post-office Department against the California Fruit Growers' Association, which had offices in Los Angeles, Rio, Denver, Detroit, Buffalo, and New York. The association claimed to have a paid-up capitalization of \$1,000,000.

It operated a colonization scheme, which was regarded as fraudulent by post-office inspectors who investigated its business. The principal officers of the association were on July 8 last indicted for using the mails to defraud.